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Application Serial No. 10/785,221 ) Art Unit: 1644  
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For: **COMPOUNDS, COMPOSITIONS AND ) Customer No. 35489**  
**METHODS FOR THE TREATMENT )**  
**OF DISEASES CHARACTERIZED BY )**  
**A-33 RELATED ANTIGENS )**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 22, 2007 in connection with the above-identified patent application (Paper No./Mail Date 20070216), please consider the following remarks and arguments. This Response is timely filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 within the two month date set for the response thereby requiring issuance of an advisory action.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.